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SUBJECT: BLUE LANTERN LEVEL 3: POST-SHIPMENT END-USE CHECK  
ON LICENSE 05-1003329

REF: 2006 BLUE LANTERN GUIDEBOOK

¶1. (U) This is an Action Request. See paragraphs 2 - 4.

¶2. (U) The Department's Office of Defense Trade Controls Compliance (PM/DTCC) requests Post's assistance in conducting a post-shipment check on license 05-1003329 for the export of sonar equipment to Turkey. Post is requested to complete this Blue Lantern check within 45 days. Lack of response to a Blue Lantern check will affect pending and future licenses involving parties to this license.

¶3. (U) Reason for Request: Purchase of United States Munitions List (USML)-controlled military electronics by Turkish civilian end-user, Institute of Marine Sciences at the Middle East Technical University. Institute has never been subject to a Blue Lantern before as this is its first license.

¶4. (U) Action Request: Post should make appropriate inquiries to determine if the end-user, Institute of Marine Sciences at the Middle East Technical University, received the USML-controlled articles listed below and that the items are being used for the purpose stated in the approved license. In its reply, Post may also comment on any other information pertinent to this transaction such as security of the facility, concerns about the Institute, and the end-user's understanding of restrictions on re-export or retransfer of USML items.

¶5. (U) Details of license application:

DTC Case: 05-1003329

QUANTITY/COMMODITY:

4 TR-1075A Sub-Bottom Profile Transducers (Serial numbers 2557, 2558, 2559, 2560)

4 C1M2 Underwater Connectors (Male) and 5 Feet (1.5 Meters) of Cable

4 Retainers (Female) corresponding to C1M2 Connectors

License Value: USD \$7,200

SELLER:

Massa Products Corporation  
280 Lincoln Street  
Hingham, MA 02043

FOREIGN INTERMEDIATE CONSIGNEE:

Knudsen Engineering Ltd.

10 Industrial Road  
Perth, Ontario  
Canada K7H 3P2  
c/o FedEx Trade Networks  
Ogdensburg, NY 13669

FOREIGN END-USER:

Institute of Marine Sciences  
Middle East Technical University  
PO Box 28, 33731, Erdemli-Mersin  
Turkey

PURPOSE:

Four (4) Sub-Bottom Profile Transducers (sonar equipment) and corresponding electrical components for oceanographic research.

¶6. (U) Submitted in support of the license application were the following documents (PM/DTCC will fax documentation to Posts upon request):

Invoice from Massa Products Corporation dated 09/12/06

Bill of lading from Massa Products Corporation dated 09/12/06

¶7. (U) Please slug reply for PM/DTCC - BLUE LANTERN COORDINATOR and include the words "Blue Lantern" and the case number in the subject line. POC is Kyle M. Ballard, Phone: 202-663-1929; Email: BallardKM@state.gov; The Blue Lantern Guidebook (ref) is available as a PDF file in the Bunche Library's E-Book Collection on the DOS Intranet:  
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¶8. (U) Department is grateful for Post's assistance in this matter.  
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